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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Andrew BOOTH, et al.

**Examiner: Emmanuel S. Luk**

Art Unit: 1722

Confirmation No.: 2122

October 31, 2005  
(Monday)

**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

## RESPONSE AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the June 30, 2005 Office Action to Monday, October 31, 2005. Please charge Deposit Account 50-1710 \$120.00 for payment of the extension fee. Any additional fee required, and any overpayments should also be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. In response to the Office Action, dated June 30, 2005, please consider the following:

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.